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APPLICATION OF)
CHRISTIAN WAMPRECHT ET AL)
SERIAL NUMBER: TO BE ASSIGNED)
FILED: HEREWITH)
TITLE: NEW POLYURETHANES AND)
THEIR USE FOR THE THICKENING)
OF AQUEOUS SYSTEMS)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee therefor and examination thereof, please amend the present application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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